



Docket No.: 826.1668

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Ken HASHIMOTO

Serial No. 09/767,716

Group Art Unit: 2623

Confirmation No. 3670

Filed: January 24, 2001

Examiner: John Manning

For: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR CONFIRMING DATA BROADCASTING

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed May 18, 2006, and having a period for response set to expire on August 18, 2006. A Request for Continued Examination and a Petition for a one-month extension of time, together with the requisite fee for same are submitted herewith, thereby extending the period for response to September 18, 2006.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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